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Under 37 CFR § 1.116  
Group Art Unit: 3626  
Docket No.: X2850.0048

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Yusuke Kimata

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For: METHOD FOR SHARING INFORMATION  
CONCERNING MEDICAL TREATMENT OF  
AN INDIVIDUAL

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2006, finally rejecting claims 2-18, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.